(c) The risk factors include genetic predisposition, physical inactivity, dietary habits, obesity and increase in aged population.

(d) and (e) It is a fact that Diabetes is affecting even the younger generation. The pilot phase of National Programme for Prevention and Control of Diabetes, Cardiovascular Diseases and Stroke has been Launched in 9 Districts of 9 States this year with focus on increasing public awareness thereby preventing the common risk factors associated with these diseases. The Ministry carried out health awareness activities through various agencies including Central Health Education Bureau which, *inter-alia* includes life style modifications and also for prevention and control of Non-Communicable Diseases including diabetes.

Funds for expansion of health services in Sikkim

1615. SHRI O.T. LEPCHA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the total funds provided to the Government of Sikkim during the year 2004-05, 2005-06, 2006-07 and 2007-08 for expansion of health services and construction of buildings in the State; and

(b) the total funds released and spent by Government during this period for the same?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI PANABAKA LAKSHMI): (a) and (b) The details of funds released to and utilized by the Government of Sikkim for the years 2004-05 to 2007-08 under RCH-II, NRHM Additionalities and Routine Immunization are given in the statement.

Statement

Funds for expansion of health services in Sikkim

(Rs. in crores.)

Programmes	2004-05		2005-06		2006-07		2007-08*	
	Release	Exp.	Release	Exp.	Release	Exp.	Release	Exp.
RCH-I	3.28	0.75						
RCH-II			1.00	0.72	2.18	1.61	2.71	2.28
NRHM Additionalities			3.09	0.00	18.22	1.14	4.67	2.68
Routine Immunization			0.11	0.06	0.27	0.16	0.18	0.11
TOTAL:	3.28	0.75	4.20	0.78	20.67	2.91	7.56	5.07

*denotes up to 31.12.2007

Health care system in Orissa

1616. MS. PRAMILA BOHIDAR:
SHRI B.J. PANDA:

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Department for International Development proposes to provide 300 crore rupees to improve health care system in Orissa;